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This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed August 21, 2007, having a shortened-statutory period for response set to expire on November 21, 2007. Applicant appreciates its telephone conversation with Examiner Hassan. Accompanying this paper is an RCE.

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